

Livestock: Record Highs and Lows

	Date Series Began	Unit	Record	Quantity	Year ^{1/}
<u>Cattle:</u>					
Inventory - January 1	1867	1,000 Head	High	1,750	1918
			Low	200	1867
Calves born	1924	1,000 Head	High	484	1924
			Low	244	1929
Beef cows - January 1	1920	1,000 Head	High	819	1920
			Low	170	2003
Milk cows - January 1	1870	1,000 Head	High	190	2009
			Low	1	1876
Cattle on feed - January 1	1930	1,000 Head	High	655	1973
			Low	23	1930
<u>Hogs:</u>					
Inventory - December 1	1869	1,000 Head	High	180	1980
			Low	1	1870
<u>Sheep:</u>					
Inventory - January 1	1867	1,000 Head	High	1,420	1917
			Low	12	1867
Lamb crop	1924	1,000 Head	High	645	1926
			Low	33	2003
Wool production	1909	1,000 Pounds	High	8,000	1917
			Low	490	2002
Weight per fleece	1909	Pounds	High	7.6	1971
			Low	5.8	2002
Mohair	1909 ^{2/}	1,000 Pounds	High	960	1931
			Low	88	1950
<u>Milk:</u>					
Milk production	1924	Million Pounds	High	4,349	2008
			Low	157	1925
Milk production	1924	Pounds per cow	High	23,382	2008
			Low	4,640	1932

^{1/} The latest year a record was achieved. Some records were equaled in earlier years.

^{2/} Estimates were discontinued in 1971 and resumed in 1988.